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**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
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Attorney Docket No.

TI-31696

First Named Inventor or Application Identifier

Edwin Park

Title

Universal Interface Simulating Multiple Interface Protocols

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

ADDRESS TO:Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Box Patent Application
Washington, DC 202311. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)2. ☒ Specification [Total Pages **42**]

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC d113) [Total Sheets **6**]4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages **1**]

- a. ☒ Newly Executed (original or copy)
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)

[Note Box 5 below]

- i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application,
see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of
the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as
being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is
hereby incorporated by reference therein.

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)

- a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy
- b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
- c. ☐ Statement verifying identical of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS8. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & Documents(s))9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)14. ☐ Small Entity Statement(s) ☐ Statement filed in prior application
Status still proper and desired
(PTO/SB/09-12)15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
if foreign priority is claimed16. ☐ Other:*A new statement is required to be entitled to pay small entity fees, except
where one has been filed in a prior application and is being relied upon.17. If a **CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: /

Prior application information: Examiner _____ Group / Art Unit: _____

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| Application Number | |
| Filing Date | 10/11/2001 |
| First Named Inventor | Edwin Park |
| Examiner Name | |
| Group / Art Unit | |
| Attorney Docket No. | TI-31696 |

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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------|----------|
| 101 | 790 | 201 | 395 | Utility filing fee | \$740 |
| 106 | 330 | 206 | 165 | Design filing fee | \$ |
| 107 | 540 | 207 | 270 | Plant filing fee | \$ |
| 108 | 790 | 208 | 395 | Reissue filing fee | \$ |
| 114 | 150 | 214 | 75 | Provisional filing fee | \$ |
| SUBTOTAL (1) | | | | | (\$740) |

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| | | | Extra Claims | | Fee from below | | Fee Paid |
|--------------------|----|--------|--------------|---|----------------|---|----------|
| Total Claims | 23 | -20**= | 3 | x | 18 | = | 54 |
| Independent Claims | 5 | -3**= | 2 | x | 84 | = | 168 |
| Multiple Dependent | | | | | | = | |

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissue, see below

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|---|
| 103 | 22 | 203 | 11 | Claims in excess of 20 |
| 102 | 82 | 202 | 41 | Independent Claims in excess of 3 |
| 104 | 270 | 204 | 135 | Multiple dependent claims in excess of 3 |
| 109 | 82 | 209 | 41 | **Reissue independent claims over original patent |
| 110 | 22 | 210 | 11 | **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |
| SUBTOTAL (2) | | | | (\$222) |

FEE CALCULATION (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|---|----------|
| 105 | 130 | 205 | 65 | Surcharge - late filing fee | |
| 127 | 50 | 227 | 25 | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | |
| 139 | 130 | 139 | 130 | Non-English specification | |
| 147 | 2,520 | 147 | 2,520 | For filing a request for reexamination | |
| 112 | 920* | 112 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 113 | 1,840* | 113 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 115 | 110 | 215 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | |
| 116 | 400 | 216 | 200 | Extension of time within second month | |
| 117 | 950 | 217 | 475 | Extension of time within third month | |
| 118 | 1,510 | 218 | 755 | Extension of time within fourth month | |
| 128 | 2,060 | 228 | 1,030 | Extension of time within fifth month | |
| 119 | 310 | 219 | 155 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 120 | 310 | 220 | 155 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 121 | 270 | 221 | 135 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 138 | 1,510 | 138 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 140 | 110 | 240 | 55 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | |
| 141 | 1,320 | 241 | 660 | Petition to revive - unintentional | |
| 142 | 1,320 | 242 | 660 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 143 | 450 | 243 | 225 | Design issue fee | |
| 144 | 670 | 244 | 335 | Plant issue fee | |
| 122 | 130 | 122 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 123 | 50 | 123 | 50 | Petitions related to provisional applications | |
| 126 | 240 | 126 | 240 | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt. | |
| 581 | 40 | 581 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per properly (time number of properties) | |
| 146 | 790 | 246 | 395 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 149 | 790 | 249 | 395 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |

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